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CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH BIHAR

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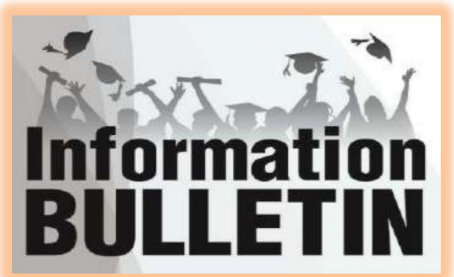
**CUET (PG)
2025**



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Common University Entrance Test

**MAPPING OF
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ABOUT CUSB

- ✧ Central University of South Bihar, Gaya, India, is one among 54 such universities of Federal Government, which come under the purview of the Department of Higher Education under the Ministry of Education of Government of India.
- ✧ It was established under the Central Universities Act, 2009 (Section 25 of 2009) as Central University of Bihar (CUB) and the name since changed by the Central Universities (Amendment) Act, 2014 to Central University of South Bihar (CUSB).
- ✧ It is an institution of higher learning in the state of Bihar. With the motto, i.e. 'Collective Reasoning' the University has been conducting its academic and administrative activities from permanent campus on a 300 acre plot of land at Panchanpur, situated about 15 kms away from Gaya town.

ABOUT NTA

- ✧ The Ministry of Education (MoE), Government of India (GoI) has established the National Testing Agency (NTA) as an independent, autonomous, and self-sustained premier testing organization under the Societies Registration Act (1860) for conducting efficient, transparent, and international standardized tests in order to assess the competency of candidates for admission to premier higher education institutions with a mission to improve equity and quality in education by developing and administering research-based valid, reliable, efficient, transparent, fair and international level assessments.
- ✧ The National Testing Agency (NTA) has been entrusted by the Ministry of Education and University Grants Commission (UGC), with the task of conducting CUET (PG)-2025 for Central Universities, State Universities, and other Participating Universities/Institutions/Organizations.



IMPORTANT DATES

Activities	Tentative Date(s)
Online submission of Application Form	02 January 2025 to 01 February 2025 (up to 11:50 P.M.)
Last date of successful transaction of Examination fee	02 February 2025 (up to 11:50 P.M.)
Correction in the particulars of the Application Form on the Website only	03.02.2025 to 05.02.2025
Advance City Intimation	First Week of March 2025
Downloading of Admit Card from the NTA Website	03/04 days before the actual date of the examination
Date(s) of Examination	13.03.2025 to 31.03.2025
Answer Key Challenges	To be announced later on the website
Duration of Examination	90 minutes

Timing of Examination	Shift-1	To be announced on the website
	Shift-2	To be announced on the website
	Shift-3	To be announced on the website
Centre, Date, and Shift of Examination	As indicated on the Admit Card	
Display of Recorded Responses and Provisional Answer Keys on the Website	Will be announced	
Declaration of Result on NTA Website	Will be announced	
Website(s)	https://exams.nta.ac.in/CUET-PG/ , www.nta.ac.in helpdesk-cuetpg@nta.ac.in	

APPLICATION FEE PAYABLE BY CANDIDATES FOR CUET (PG) - 2025

Fee Payable by Candidates in INR				
	In Bharat (Fee In ₹)		Outside Bharat (Fee In ₹)	
Category	Application Fee (for up to two Test Papers)	Fees for additional Test Papers (Per Test Paper)	Application Fee (for up to two Test Papers)	Fees for additional Test Papers (Per Test Paper)
General	₹ 1400	₹ 700	₹ 7000	₹ 3500
OBC-NCL/Gen-EWS	₹ 1200	₹ 600		
SC/ST/Third Gender	₹ 1100	₹ 600		
PwBD	₹1000	₹ 600		

Note:

- An applicant can make payments through net banking/debit/credit card/UPI/Wallet.
- GST and other taxes as applicable by Govt. of India/ Bank to be paid by the candidate.
- Applicants are advised to read Payment instructions carefully before paying the application fee.

Important Instruction

- An applicant can register by paying the application fee as mentioned above.
- An applicant can apply for up to Four Test Papers by paying additional application fees as mentioned above.
- Candidates opting for **Test Centres outside India** will have to pay the application fee of **Rs. 6000/-** irrespective of the category they belong to for up to two Test Papers and additional fees for two more papers as mentioned above.

“Candidates are requested to fill in the Application Form very carefully. No corrections will be permitted once the correction period is complete.” Note: Multiple Application Forms submitted by a candidate will not be accepted at any cost.

- I.** The fee can be submitted only online through Net Banking, Credit Card, Debit Card, Wallet, and UPI Services. Processing charges and GST as applicable are chargeable from the candidate (in addition to the examination fee) by the concerned Bank/Payment Gateway Integrator. For details/procedure, please see **Appendix-II**.
- II.** The Confirmation Page of the online Application Form will be generated only after successful payment of the fee by the Candidate. In case the Confirmation Page is not generated after payment of fee, then the candidate may have to approach the concerned Bank/Payment Gateway (in the helpline numbers and email given in **Appendix- II**) for ensuring the successful payment or for obtaining the refund of multiple payments.

EXAMINATION SCHEME (MODE, MEDIUM & STRUCTURE)

Mode of Examination

CUET (PG) - 2025 will be conducted in **Computer-Based Test (CBT) mode**.

Medium of Question Papers

The medium of the Question Paper for CUET (PG)-2025 will be **English and Hindi (Bilingual)** except for languages, M. Tech/Higher Sciences, and Acharya papers (except *Hindu Studies, Baudha Dharshan, and Indian Knowledge System*).

Please note that for the correctness of the questions in all the question papers, the English version will be taken as final except in language and Sahitya papers.

Medium of Language Papers:

- i. Language papers will be in the respective language of the subject, except for **Linguistics**, which will be in **English**.*
- ii. Papers for **M.Tech/Higher Sciences** will only be in **English**.*
- iii. **Acharya Papers** will be in Sanskrit, except for the subjects **Hindu Studies, Indian Knowledge System, and Baudha Darshan**, which will be in English.*
- iv. Papers for **Humanities, Sciences, and Common Subjects** will be bilingual (English and Hindi).*

Structure of Examination

The following is the structure of the Examination for CUET (PG) – 2025:

1. **Choice of Question Paper Codes:** Candidates may select up to **four question paper codes** from the list provided below.
2. **Medium of Comprehension in General Paper:** The comprehension section in the General Paper will be available in either English or Hindi, based on the candidate's preference indicated during registration.
3. **Examination Duration:** The duration of the examination will be **90 minutes**.
4. **Number of Questions:** Each question paper will comprise **75 questions**.
5. **Marking Scheme:**
 - i. Each question carries 04 (four) marks.*
 - ii. For each correct response, the candidate will get 04 (four) marks.*
 - iii. For each incorrect response, 01 (one) mark will be deducted from the total score.*
 - iv. Unanswered/unattempted responses will be given no marks.*
 - v. To answer a question, the candidate needs to choose one option as the most appropriate option.*
 - vi. However, after the process of Challenges of the Answer Key, in case there are multiple correct options or changes in the key, only those candidates who have attempted it correctly as per the Final Answer Key will be awarded marks.*
 - vii. In case a Question is dropped due to some technical error, full marks shall be given to all the candidates irrespective of whether they have attempted it or not.*
6. **Shifts:** The examination will be conducted in **2-3 shifts**.
7. **Final Reference for Questions:** For question papers, except those related to language subjects and Acharya papers, the **English version** will be considered final in case of any discrepancies.
8. **Syllabus Availability:** The syllabus for all question paper codes is available on the official website. All candidates are advised to go through the syllabus and prepare accordingly.

CUET (PG) - 2025 : ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA,
QUALIFICATION AND QUESTION PAPER PATTERN FOR
PROGRAMMES OFFERED BY
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Sr. No.	Degree	Programme (Subject)	Eligibility Criteria for applying in CUET (PG) - 2025	Intake	Test Paper Code
1	M.Com	Commerce	Bachelor's in Commerce from any recognized University with a minimum of 50% marks for General / OBC / EWS candidates and 45% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates.	45	COQP08
2	LLM	Law	3-Year LL.B. after Graduation under 10+2+3 pattern or 5-year (Integrated) LL.B. under 10+2+5 pattern recognized by the Bar Council of India securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate in LL. B. 3 year/ 5 year (Integrated) Degree.	50*	COQP14
3	M. Ed.	Education	B.Ed. Or Four Year Integrated B.A B.Ed/B.Sc.B.Ed. Degree from any recognized University/institution with atleast 50% marks or equivalent grade for General/OBC /EWS candidates and 45% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates.	63	COQP15
4	M.P.Ed	Physical Education	Bachelor of Physical Education(B.P.Ed.)/B.Sc. Health & Physical Education with 55% marks for General/OBC/EWS candidates and 50% marks for SC/ST/PWD candidates.	40	COQP18
5	M.A. in Economics	Economics	Bachelor's Degree from a recognized university having Economics/Commerce/Statistics/ Mathematics as a subject (Hons./General) with a minimum of 45% marks for General / OBC/ EWS candidates and 40% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates.	45	COQP10
6	M.A. in Journalism & Mass Communication	Journalism & Mass Communication	Bachelor's Degree in any discipline from recognized University with a minimum of 55% marks for General / OBC/EWS candidates and 50% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates.	45	COQP17
7	M.A. in History	History	Bachelor's degree in any discipline from recognized university with a minimum of 50% marks for General/OBC/EWS/ candidates and 45% marks for SC/ST/PWD candidates	45	HUQP09
8	M.A. in Political Science and International Relations	Political Science and International Relations	Bachelor's Degree in any discipline from any recognized University with a minimum of 50% marks for General / OBC/EWS candidates and 45% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates.	45	HUQP18
9	M.A. in English	English	Bachelor's Degree in any discipline having English as a compulsory subject (Hons./ Pass/ General) with a minimum of 50% marks for General / OBC/EWS candidates and 45% marks for SC/ST / PWD category candidates from any recognized University.	45	LAQP01
10	M.A. in Hindi	Hindi	Bachelor's Degree in any discipline from any recognized University with a minimum of 50% marks for General / OBC/EWS candidates and 45% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates.	45	LAQP02
11	M.A. in Sociology	Sociology	Bachelor's Degree in any subject from any recognized University with a minimum of 50% marks for General / OBC/EWS candidates and 45% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates.	45	HUQP22
12	MSW	Social Work	Bachelor's Degree in any subject from any recognized University with a minimum of 50% marks for General / OBC /EWS candidates and 45% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates.	45	HUQP21
13	M.A./M.Sc. in Geography	Geography	Bachelor's Degree with Geography with a minimum of 55% marks from any recognised university for General/OBC/EWS candidates and 50% marks for SC/ST/PWD candidates	45	HUQP08
14	M.A./M.Sc in Psychology	Psychology	Bachelor's Degree with Psychology/ sciences/human sciences/social sciences/life sciences/ Medical Sciences/Engineering with a minimum of 50% marks from any recognised university for General/OBC/EWS candidates and 45% marks for SC/ST/PWD candidates	45	HUQP20
15	M.A./M.Sc. in Mathematics	Mathematics	Bachelor's Degree from any recognised University but should have studied Mathematics as a subject at least 3 years with a minimum of 55% marks for General / OBC /EWS candidates and 50% marks for SC/ ST / PWD candidates.	45	SCQP19

16	M.A./M.Sc. in Statistics	Statistics	Bachelor's Degree from any recognized University with Statistics/Mathematics. B.Sc./B.Tech. in Computer Science/ Computer Application/IT with at least one paper in Statistics/Mathematics with a minimum of 50% marks for General/OBC/EWS and 45% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates in the qualifying degree.	45	SCQP27 / SCQP19 / SCQP09
17	Master in Data Science and Applied Statistics	Data Science and Applied Statistics	Bachelor's Degree from any recognized University in Statistics/Mathematics. Or B.Sc./B.Tech. in Computer Science/Computer Application/Information Technology/AI/Data Science. Or Bachelor's Degree in Physics/Economics with at least one paper in Mathematics/ Statistics with a minimum of 50 % marks for General/EWS/OBC candidates and 45% marks for SC/ST candidates in the qualifying degree.	45	MTQP04 / SCQP27 / SCQP19 /SCQP09/ SCQP24/ COQP10
18	M.Sc. In Computer Science	Computer Science	Bachelor's Degree from any recognised University with Computer Science/ Information Technology/ Computer Application or equivalent with a minimum of 55% marks for General /OBC /EWS candidates and 50% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates and having Mathematics as a subject at 10+2 level.	45	SCQP09
19	M.Sc. in Artificial Intelligence	Artificial Intelligence	Bachelor's Degree from any recognised University with Computer Science/ Information Technology/ Computer Application with a minimum of 55% marks for General /OBC /EWS candidates and 50% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates and having Mathematics as a subject at 10+2 level	45	SCQP09
20	M.Sc. in Chemistry	Chemistry	B.Sc. degree or its equivalent with Chemistry as one of the subjects or Integrated B.Sc.B.Ed. from a recognized University with minimum of 50% of marks or equivalent grade in aggregate or in Honours for General /OBC/EWS and 45% or equivalent grade for SC/ST / PWD candidates	45	SCQP08
21	M.Sc. in Physics	Physics	B.Sc. with Physics or Integrated B.Sc. B.Ed with a minimum of 55 % marks for General / OBC /EWS candidates and 50% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates from any recognized University.	45	SCQP24
22	M.Sc. in Geology	Geology / Applied Geology	Bachelor's degree in Geology from any recognized University with a minimum of 55% marks for General / EWS / OBC candidates and 50% marks for SC/ST/PWD candidates	45	SCQP14
23	M.Sc. Environmental Science	Environmental Sciences/Studies	B. Sc. in basic or allied subjects/ B.Tech/B.E./B.Sc. Eng / B.Ag./ B.Sc. Forestry with 55% marks for General /OBC/EWS and 50% marks for SC/ST/PWD candidates	45	SCQP11
24	M.Sc. in Biotechnology	Biotechnology	Bachelor's degree in Biotechnology or any branch of Biological Science (Microbiology/Biochemistry/ Bioscience/ Environmental Science/ Biomedical etc.) or B.Sc. (Hons) in Zoology/Botany/ Chemistry or B.Sc. /Integrated B.Sc. B.Ed. of three year duration with any of the two subjects among Zoology, Botany & Chemistry in 3rd year with a minimum of 55% marks for General / OBC/EWS candidates and 50% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates from any recognised University.	35	SCQP17
25	M.Sc. In Life Science	Life Science	Bachelor's degree in any branch of Biological Sciences (Botany/ Zoology/ Microbiology/ Biochemistry/ Bioscience/ Biotechnology/ Environmental Science/ Agricultural Science/ Biomedical) or Integrated B.Sc B.Ed. with a minimum of 55 % marks for General/OBC/EWS candidates and 50% marks for SC/ST / PWD candidates.	45	SCQP17
26	M.Sc. In Bioinformatics	Bioinformatics	Bachelor's degree in Biological Sciences/ Agricultural Science/ Pharmaceutical Science/ Veterinary Science/ Medical Science/ Mathematics/ Physics/ Chemistry/ Computer Science/ Information Technology or Integrated B.Sc. B.Ed. with 55% marks for General/OBC /EWS candidates and 50% marks for SC/ST/PWD candidates from any recognized University.	45	SCQP06 / SCQP17
27	M.Pharm	Pharmaceutics	Bachelor's degree in Pharmacy from any recognized University approved by Pharmacy Council of India with 55% marks for General candidates and 50% in case of OBC /EWS/ SC/ST/PWD candidates. A candidate with valid GPAT Score will be given preference for admission; however such candidate has to register for Entrance Examinations.	15	SCQP23
28	M.Pharm	Pharmacology	Bachelor's degree in Pharmacy from any recognized University approved by Pharmacy Council of India with 55% marks for General candidates and 50% in case of OBC /EWS/ SC/ST/PWD candidates. A candidate with valid GPAT Score will be given preference for admission; however such candidate has to register for Entrance Examinations.	15	SCQP23

Note*: Subject to the approval of the competent authority.